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FM AMCONSUL BELFAST

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 887

INFO AMEMBASSY

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UNCLAS BELFAST 122

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINT, U.K. (N.I.)

SUBJECT: GENERAL CEASEFIRE HOLDING

RE: (A) BELFAST 119, (B) BELFAST 120

1. ONE BOMB EXPLOSION NEWRY INJURED EIGHTEEN PEOPLE  
NIGHT APRIL 9, TWO ULSTER DEFENSE ASSOCIATION (UDA)  
MEN MISSING BELFAST SINCE APRIL 7 BELIEVED ABDUCTED AND  
THERE ONE DOUBLE KNEE-CAPPING IN BELFAST APRIL 9. MOTIVE  
FOR BOMBING UNCLEAR SINCE PARCEL BOMB LEFT IN ENTRYWAY  
BETWEEN PROTESTANT BAR AND OFFICIAL REPUBLICAN CLUB SOCIAL  
CENTER BUT IT DOES NOT RPT NOT APPEAR BE WORK PROVISIONAL IRA.  
VOLUNTEER FORCE OR EVEN RESULT INTRA-UDA SQUABBLE.

2. LOYALIST CRITICISM OF GOVERNMENT PASSIVITY IN FACE  
PROVISIONAL BOMBING GROWING. BRIAN FAULKNER LEADER UNIONIST  
PARTY NORTHERN IRELAND DEMOCRATIC UNIONIST REVENEND IAN  
PAISLEY BOTH CALLED FOR END OF "APPEASEMENT" PROVISIONALS  
AND SIMILAR SENTIMENTS EXPRESSED BY REPRESENTATIVES VANGUARD  
PARTY AND ORANGE ORDER. FOR WHATEVER IT IS WORTH HOWEVER  
CONSUL GENERAL IMPRESS OF PUBLIC OPINION BELFAST ATTAINED  
THROUGH RIDING MASS TRANSIT TAXIS SEVERAL HOURS APRIL 8 IS  
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THAT POPULACE HOPING FOR CONTINUED RESTRAINT PART SECURITY  
FORCES. PROTESTANT RESENTMENT OVER BOMBING LARGE DEPARTMENT

STORE SOMEWHAT LESSENED BY ANNOUNCEMENT STORE REOPENING WITHOUT  
LOSS ANY JOBS.  
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